Weatherization & Energy Efficiency Career Sectors

Market Segment
- Residential
- Non-Residential
- Either

Income Level
- Low-Income
- Moderate & High Income

Industry Growth
- Workforce expanding rapidly due to ARRA; contraction near end of ARRA Period
- Slow/moderate growth in 2010; increasing to strong in early 2011 due to Energy Upgrade California (EUC)

Employer Classifications
- CPUC Low-Income Energy Efficiency Contractors
- USDOE/CSD/Community Action Agency/Energy Services Companies
- Other

Training Requirements
- Unknown—Determined by the CPUC and managed by RHA, Inc.?
- 3 Main Courses:
  1. Basic WX
  2. Blower Door/Duct Blaster
  3. Combustible Appliance Safety
- Duration +/- 30 days
- EUC requires Building Performance Institute (BPI)
  - 3-day basic
  - 12-day advanced
- No required industry standards, but HERS or HERS 2 is recommended
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Entry Level Pay Rate
- WX/EE Crew Member +/- $12.00/hr.
- WX/EE Crew Member +/- $16.00/hr.
- WX/EE Assistant +/- $14.00/hr.
- WX/EE Crew Member +/- $18.00/hr.
- ESCO Crew Member +/- $15.00/hr.
- Apprentice +/- $14.00/hr.

LA Conservation Corps WX/EE Program Graduates

Specialty Contractors
- Includes:
  - HVAC
  - Insulators
  - Windows
  - Electrical/Lighting
  - Roofers
  - Appliances
  - *Plumbing

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